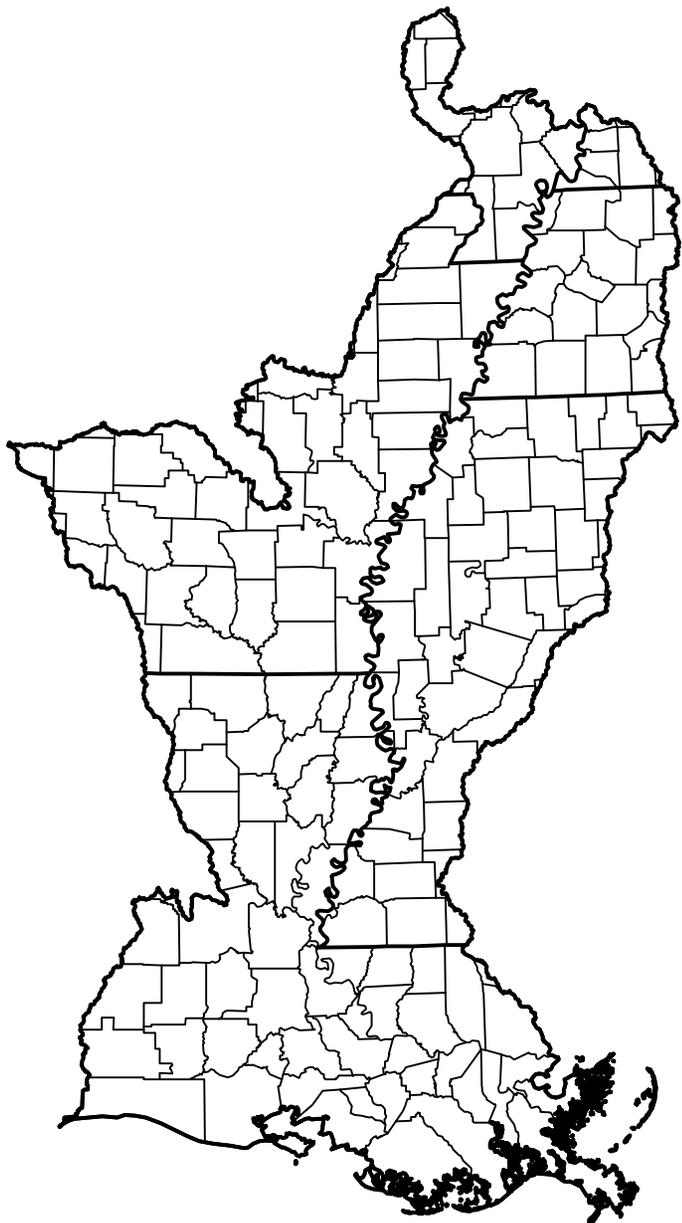


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>05-13-2004</i> | 88.24 | 11.76 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>02-19-2004</i> | 96.79 | 3.21 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i> | 97.76 | 2.24 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>05-22-2003</i> | 66.19 | 10.55 | 23.26 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

Intensity:



The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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